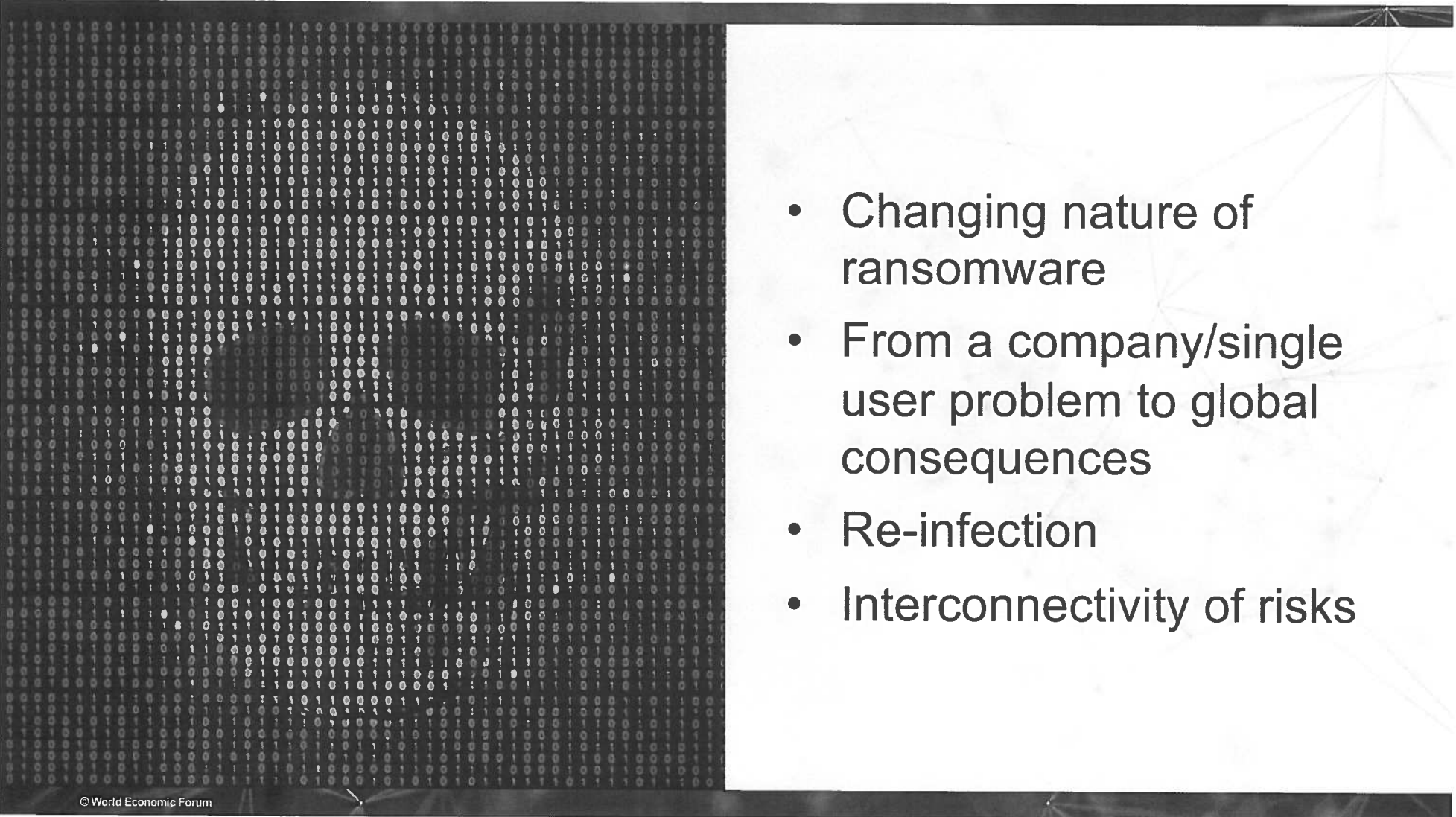# Data as the Hostage
Increasing Cyber-Resilience

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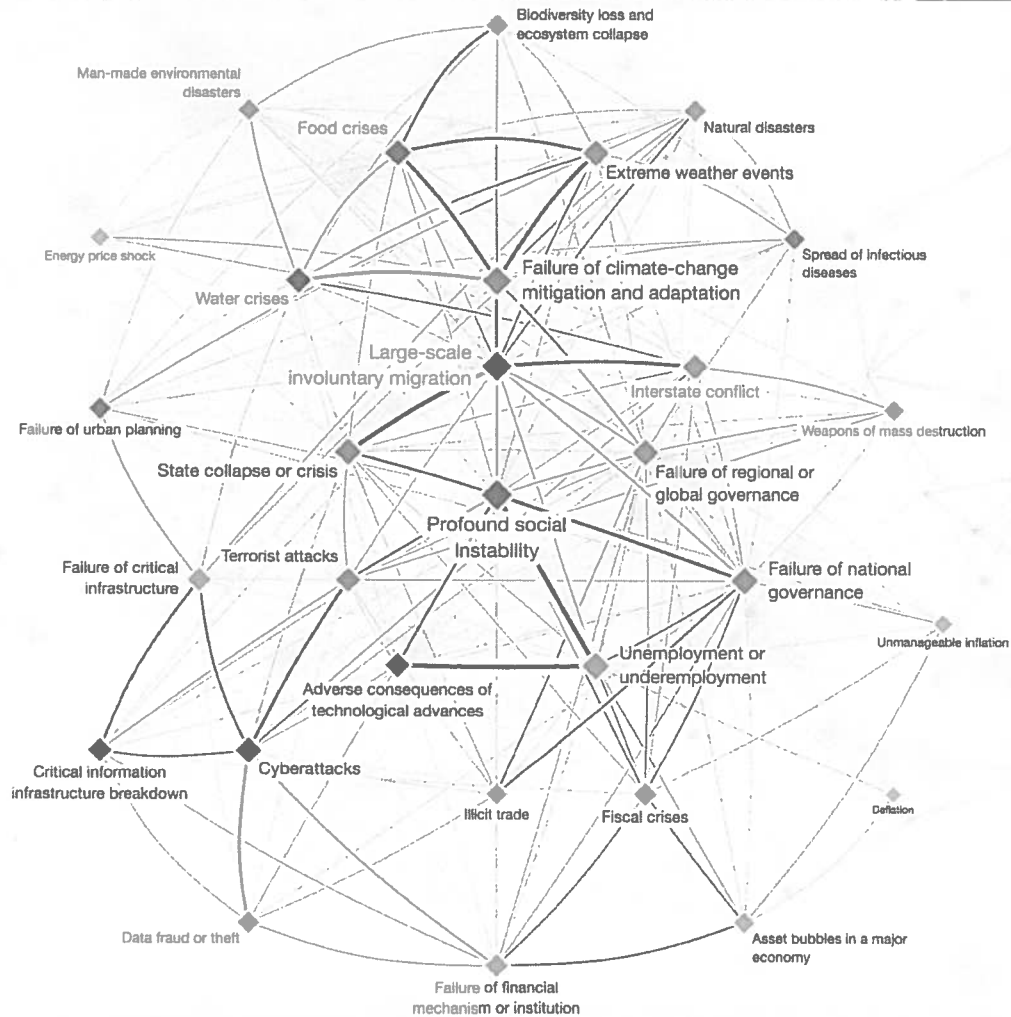
- Changing nature of ransomware
- From a company/single user problem to global consequences
- Re-infection
- Interconnectivity of risks

The Global List Interconnections Map 2018

Biodiversity loss and ecosystem collapse

Man-made environmental disasters

Food crises

Natural disasters

Extreme weather events

Energy price shock

Spread of infectious diseases

Water crises

Failure of climate-change mitigation and adaptation

Large-scale involuntary migration

Interstate conflict

Failure of urban planning

Weapons of mass destruction

State collapse or crisis

Failure of regional or global governance

Profound social instability

Terrorist attacks

Failure of critical infrastructure

Failure of national governance

Unemployment or underemployment

Unmanageable inflation

Adverse consequences of technological advances

Critical information infrastructure breakdown

Cyberattacks

Illicit trade

Fiscal crises

Deflation

Data fraud or theft

Asset bubbles in a major economy

Failure of financial mechanism or institution

Risks

Number and strength of connections ("weighted degree")

Who are the victims?

24%
of breaches affected healthcare organisations

15%
of breaches involved accommodation and food services

14%
were breaches of public sector entities
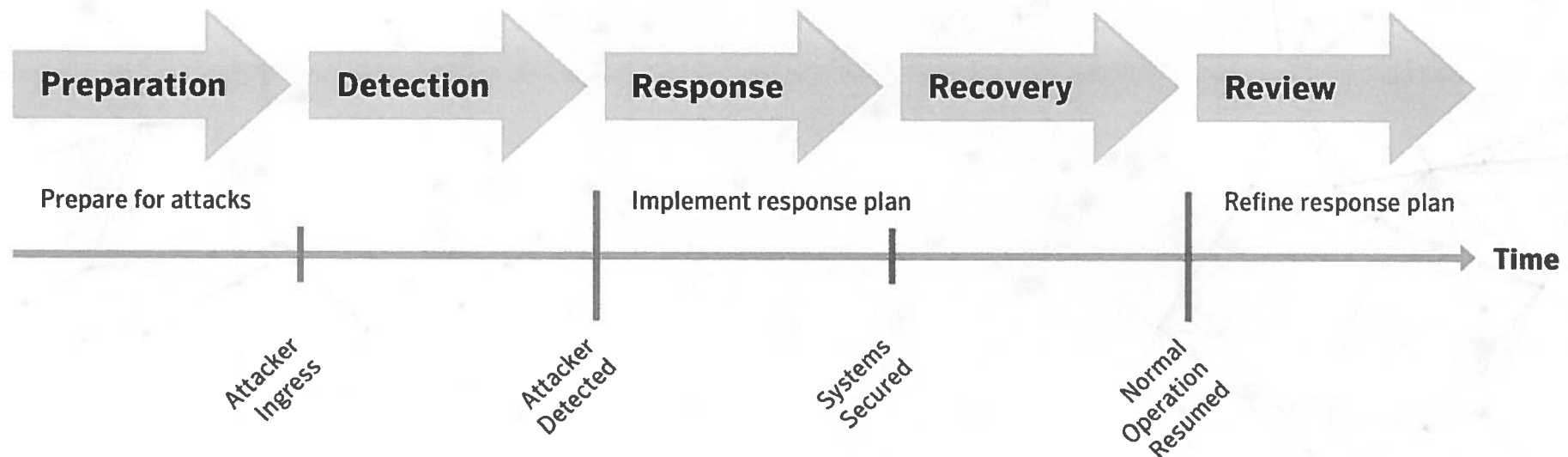
58%
of victims are categorized as small businesses

Source 2018: Verizon, Data Breaches Report

Create a Stronger Cyber-Resilience-First and Foremost

Achieve True Visibility Across Your Entire Environment-Map the Assets

1. Maintaining an inventory of authorized and unauthorized devices

2. Maintaining an inventory of authorized and unauthorized software

3. Developing and managing secure configurations for all devices

4. Conducting continuous (automated) vulnerability assessment and remediation

5. Actively managing and controlling the use of administrative privileges

Create a Stronger Cyber-Resilience

| Preparation | Detection | Response | Recovery | Review |

Prepare for attacks | Implement response plan | Refine response plan

Time

Attacker Ingress | Attacker Detected | Systems Secured | Normal Operation Resumed

Source 2014:The Cyber Resilience Blueprint: A New Perspective on Security

As C-suite executives and boards prepare their plans for a cyber-resilient business, they need help from the CISO to:

- Understand how the business will have a greater "surface area" of exposure in the future and the impact this has on cyber resilience requirements

- Know what must be done to ensure the future cyber resilience of the business across all dimensions (not just the IT capabilities)

- Be clear on where cyber resilience must reside within the organization

- Understand who in the organization has both overall and individual component responsibility for cyber resilience and who is accountable for it

- Know how to measure cyber resilience exposure and risk with relevant measures and monitor these measures at the highest levels of the organization

Elevate Cyber-Resilience to be a Board-Level Issue

Source 2018: Accenture, State of Cyber Resilience

Thank you

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